

SOLDIERS AID BUSINESS IN THE DISTRICT

Big Saturday for Merchants of City and District—Many Hundred Soldiers Help—Business Here Generally is Much Better

Though the threatened and realized snow storm of yesterday afternoon and evening managed to keep a large number of the Warren District residents from the downtown streets last night their absence was more than made up for by the presence of soldiers from the United States army camp near Naco.

Regulars, with every colored hat band were seen on the streets from early morning to late at night. The automobiles, operating between Bisbee and the soldiers' camp, did land office business. Some of the receipts of the machines seemed incredible.

The reason for the appearance of so many of the soldiers was that pay day was at hand for the Eleventh Infantry and the receipt in the other regiments, 15th have been paid during the past few days, was a source of the men in khaki. The theater, from the time of their opening yesterday afternoon to their last performance last evening, had enormous houses and a large percentage of their crowds was due to the enlisted men.

Some little trouble was experienced by the city officers though it was small in comparison to the number of men in the city. The soldiers were anxious to secure something with which to wet their palates and some appeared as though that process had been accomplished in some manner unknown to the authorities or the most of the residents of Bisbee.

That business has been generally better during the past two or three weeks than it has been for five months is the unqualified opinion of most of the merchants in the Warren District. Every merchant has felt the stimulating effect of the presence of the soldiers and their money has gone into every channel of business.

One restaurant man has more employees in his establishment than at any time since the first day of last August. He declares that he is not getting any more than his share at the trade which has resulted from the soldiers.

A better feeling, generally, seems to pervade the entire district. Not only are the merchants more optimistic than they have been for many months but the salaried man and the worker, on the whole, has been convinced that the depression caused by the war in Europe will not send the Warren District's prosperity clear to the bottom of the financial sea. A combination of influences is perpetuated with being responsible for the

DOUGLAS TEAM WON GOLFING HONORS IN FIRST BIG TOURNEY

Warren, Tucson and Douglas Clubs were Represented by Five Men Each in Initial Meeting of Southwestern Golf Association

As a result of the first tournament of the newly-formed Southwestern Golf Association, held yesterday on the links of the Douglas Country club, the Douglas players captured the honors in the team match with the Warren Country club second and the Warren District Country club third. Stupp and Carl Smith of Douglas, lead with low scores of 178 each for the thirty-six holes. Rogers Pelton of the Warren team, led his mates with a 189 while William B. Gohring had a 192.

Play was had under good weather conditions, neither wind nor snow appearing until nearly 6 o'clock last night when the day's tourney was completed.

The day's sport began with the five-men team match. Representatives from the El Paso and Phoenix country clubs, which are also members of the Association, did not present themselves for the contest. Douglas started in to play first from the first and kept it up. Neither the Warren or the Tucson players could dislodge Douglas on her own grounds and the victors had several points to spare when the thirty-six holes were concluded.

Following the team match, the elimination play for the individual championship of the Association began. Popen and Pelton of Warren, and Kendall and Milton of Tucson were retired, leaving four Douglas men in the final for the championship which was played today. The four are Stupp, Smith, Fortin and Robinson.

The five men who will serve for the consolation cup in today's play are Gohring, of Warren, Scott and French of Douglas and Corbett of Tucson.

This first tournament was in every way a pronounced success. The next inter-club match will be held next Saturday and Sunday at the Tucson Country club when teams of about ten men each from the five clubs of the Association will compete.

FIERCE CONTEST IS ASSURED AT WARREN

Knights of Columbus and Tombstone Canyon Stars Meet for Possession of the Charity Cup—Both Teams are Well Matched

A fast and furious football game is expected for this afternoon at Warren Park when the Tombstone Canyon Stars clash with the Knights of Columbus team. The clash is scheduled for 2:15.

It will be remembered that the Stars went down to defeat at the hands of the Knights two weeks ago in one of the hardest fought association football games ever seen in the Warren District. The score in that contest was 3 to 2. With the game of two weeks ago went the possession of the Warren District Cup, one of the handsomest trophies of the football season.

Today's game is for the possession of the Charity Cup and the Stars are already in their declaration that the trophy will not go to the Knights. Consequently the football enthusiasts of the district may expect to see the best played and fiercest game of the season today.

General better feeling this month.

A great many people in Bisbee feared the result of the elimination of the liquor traffic. A great many others, fearing a vindication of the notorious Eighty Percent bill, held on to every cent they could secure. Other people feared that with the first of the year a further reduction in the working forces of the mines would be seen. The other contributing influence has been the presence of six thousand soldiers at the door of the Warren District.

Instead of looking backward the merchants and residents of the District are beginning to look forward. What the merchants and residents anticipated failed to materialize, namely, a terrific slump and the first month in the new year promises great things for the prosperity of the entire section.

RICH ORE FOUND IN HUACHUCA PROPERTY

Ore Running 20 Ounces of Silver and 67 Lead Being Placed on Dumps of Prospects Owned by C. Jones, Morgan and Owens

With ore running twenty two ounces of silver and 67 percent lead to the ton, prospects on the property in the Huachuca Mountains belonging to Charles Jones and James Owen, of Bisbee and C. Morgan of the Huachuca are excellent for the eventual opening of a rich mine in that district.

The property is located in the south fork of Ash Canyon and has been the scene of much mining and prospecting activity for years. The claims of the Bisbee men, however, lie close to the top of the ridge and cover a large space of the ground. It is located near Montezuma peak.

At the present time Charles Morgan, one of the best known prospectors and miners of Cochise county is in charge of the property. About thirty tons of ore are on the dump at the property and will be shipped when the transportation facilities are better.

The vein from which the high grade ore is being mined is approximately three feet in width. From all appearances it pursues its course along the entire length of the property.

An excellent trail has just been completed from the foot of the mountain to the mine, a distance of several miles. Heretofore the packing of supplies to the property has been a serious problem but with the new trail opened up the owners feel that the troubles encountered in this direction will be nearly overcome.

To complete a connection with good transportation facilities, a road is now being constructed from the place where the trail ends, which is near the well known old Yaquis cabins and line mine, to a point on the Herford road. With this link completed and the improvements to the road contemplated from that point to the town of Herford, the prospectors in the Huachuca will have easy access to a place from which their ore can be shipped to smelters and where they can secure their supplies.

Several visiting mining men and prospectors from the Huachuca district say that the condition of the roads in that section is frightful. Some declare that it is practically impossible to ship ore out or bring supplies in. The trails and roads are in such condition that pack animals have difficulty in getting over them.

Placer Strike.
That gold in quantities has been hidden in the Huachuca was again proven when Ben Morgan, who has several placer claims at the Yaquis cabins in Ash Canyon, found a three ounce nugget last Friday. The piece of gold was sold to the smelter for \$57.50.

The find was made in the bed of the old creek. During the recent heavy rains all of the old placer workings in that section were wholly obliterated. The heavy water washed out new river beds in places and opened to several of the prospectors ground that is yielding big results from sluicing work. The nugget found by Morgan is one of these results.

Morgan is continuing with his work and is getting returns for his efforts.

C. & A. BAND WILL PLAY FOR PUBLIC

LOCAL MUSICAL ORGANIZATION HAS ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM FOR THIS AFTERNOON

Weather permitting and not too cold to allow the free movement of the keys of the musical instruments, the C. & A. band will this afternoon at 2 o'clock give another of its popular outdoor entertainments. The program will be played in front of the post office building where there is ample room for the many listeners whom the band always draws.

One of the selections which has

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been chosen for this afternoon's program in perhaps one of the universal favorites of the nation. This selection is the New Flower Song, Hearts and Flowers, by Tjebkani. It is one of the most beautiful, combining melody and art in such manner that it attached the trained and untrained ear alike. The remainder of the program is up to the standard which this organization has set in the past and will undoubtedly be well attended and enjoyed.

GREAT MASTERPIECE AT LOWELL THEATRE

Tonight the patrons will be treated to a special Universal feature program. The two-part feature by the Eclair Company was produced in Tucson. The Shaver and the Chaparrone. A Universal like Comedy is a sure fire fun maker. In addition to the above there will be another Universal drama, a two-part feature from the General Film Co. Monday January 18, the Lowell will present Lubin's great masterpiece "Through Fire to Fortune" or "The Sunken Village." This great special feature is one of the strongest portrayals yet to be seen in this district. It will be shown for one night only and undoubtedly will play to capacity houses. The steam heat in this popular play-house is a most decided feature, no matter how cold the weather it is always warm and comfortable in the Lowell, and the pictures are of the very highest class and projected perfectly.

REALTY MOVEMENT.
Judge M. C. High announces the sale of a piece of property in Wood Canyon to H. R. Taylor where the latter will make his future home. The property was formerly owned by the Bisbee Naco Water Company.

WORLD'S BEST DANCER COMING TO DISTRICT TO GIVE INSTRUCTION
MURRAY ANDERSON, RECOGNIZED ARTIST, WILL APPEAR LOCALLY IF HE CAN ARRANGE CLASSES

Maitland Davies, dramatic editor of the Phoenix Republican, one of the best known vocalists of the southwest, and advance agent at the present time for the peer of dancers, Murray Anderson, arrived in Bisbee yesterday. He came here direct from Tucson where he and Mr. Anderson have been giving lessons in the latest steps. He will remain here some days arranging for the local classes, which he hopes to secure.

Mr. Davies states that Mr. Anderson will have three days next week, Thursday to Saturday, inclusive, which he may devote to his residents of the Warren District. While here he will organize the classes which Mr. Anderson is to take over. He will then return to Tucson, join Mr. Anderson and come to Bisbee to give the instructions.

Mr. Anderson is recognized as the host of the many stage artists in the United States who are at the present time demonstrating the newest steps in the list which he gives instructions in are included such steps as the Fox Trot, Mexique, One Step, and others equally as graceful and popular. Mr. Davies will be able to definitely state inside a day or two if he will bring Mr. Anderson to the Warren District.

ROYAL MANAGEMENT FEELS ENCOURAGED

Manager Evans Says Increased Patronage Comes With Better Offerings

That business is on the upgrade in the theatre line is the opinion of Walter D. Evans, proprietor of the Royal. Increased patronage, with an increased and better program, has sufficed to guarantee the success of the Royal venture, according to the new manager.

"I am more than satisfied with the prospects in the Royal," declared Mr. Evans last night. "I am striving to give the public of the Warren District the most for their money to be secured anywhere in the west south-west. I am also striving to make my theatre the scene of comfort and to that end will shortly start some renovations which will work greatly toward that end. Of new features I have booked many. The 'Most for the Money' is my slogan and I mean to give my patrons the best on the market of screen productions." The program at the Royal today includes "In the Land of Arcadia," "The Man in the Dark," and "His Last Call."

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